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Attorney Docket No.: 116771 OLIFF & BERRIDGE, PLC P.O. Box 19928 Date: August 4, 2003 Ålexandria, Virginia 22320 Telephone: (703) 836-6400 MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION Facsimile: (703) 836-2787 NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL Customer Number: 25944 **RULE §1.53(b)** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the nonprovisional patent application OPTICAL DEVICE, OPTICAL UNIT AND PROJECTOR For (Title): Yoshiyuki YANAGISAWA By (Inventors): \boxtimes Formal drawings (Figs. 1-19; 19 sheets) are attached. Use Figure for front page of Publication. A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith. This application claims benefit of Provisional Application No. (A Preliminary Amendment is attached to reflect this claim in the Specification if not already present.) This patent application is assigned to SEIKO EPSON CORPORATION. The executed Assignment is filed herewith. An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith. Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted. A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith. Priority of foreign application No. 2002-231123 filed August 8, 2002 in Japan is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119). A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application(s) is filed herewith. This application is NOT to be published under 35 U.S.C. 112(b). The undersigned attorney or agent hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. \boxtimes The filing fee is calculated below: CLAIMS IN THE APPLICATION AFTER ENTRY OF ANY PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT NOTED ABOVE OTHER THAN A **SMALL ENTITY SMALL ENTITY** FOR: NO. FILED **RATE** NO. EXTRA **RATE FEE** OR **FEE BASIC FEE** \$ 375 OR 750 TOTAL CLAIMS 21 - 201* x 9 = \$ OR 18 \$ 18 X INDEP CLAIMS 1 - 3 0* 42 = \$ 84 \$ <u>OR</u> x X ☐ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED + 140 = \$ **OR** + 280 \$

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